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By e-mail

Dear Justine,

Ref: CW5/1116/71 – Creswell Colliery Lagoons – The restoration of former colliery lagoons and settlement ponds to agriculture and nature conservation through the importation of inert waste Request under Reg 22(1) – Submission of Addendum to Environmental Statement

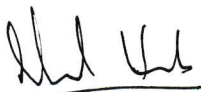
Further to your letters of 20th and 27th March and my response dated 29th March I am pleased to enclose with this letter a LEMP, as an Addendum to the Environmental Statement which contains the detailed restoration proposals and proposals for the ecological management of the restored site.

So far as the timing of the planting of the northern hedgerow is concerned the ecologist has commented that;

“The northern boundary hedge is not being established until year 3 because of the need to retain woodlark nesting habitat in the NW corner. Clear-felling the NW corner mound, but leaving a strip of woodland to provide a screen will help the engineer to achieve the desired levels on the tip, create suitable woodlark habitat whilst still maintaining a screen of woodland that would be infinitely better than a new hedge during the tipping phase. Planting a hedge before that time will interfere with land-forming.”

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Yours sincerely,



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Enc. Landscape and Ecological Management Plan, DSA Environment and Design, 13 April 2017